

REMARKS

The purpose of the above amendment is to provide a consistent order of the Brief Description of the Drawings on page 8 and the detailed description of the drawings in the specification on pages 11 and 12.

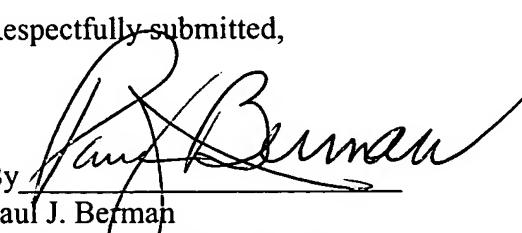
Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made."

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740.

In view of the above, each of the presently pending claims in this application is believed to be in immediate condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue.

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Version with Markings to Show Changes Made**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 8, please amend the last paragraph to read as follows:

Fig. 4, consisting of (a), (b) and (c), is a drawing showing the structure of the electrode and wiring, etc., of the detecting apparatus and the detecting chip of single base substitution SNP and point mutation of genes related to the present invention.